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TNS Canadian Facts wishes to thank you for agreeing to participate in our study. Your input will give us valuable information with regards to the recent federal election. If you have already returned this questionnaire, we thank you for your input. If you have not yet completed the questionnaire, please take a few moments and do so now.

Along with this letter, you will find a brief questionnaire. We ask that you please send back the questionnaire as soon as you have completed it in the postage paid envelope included.

Should you have any questions or concerns about completing the questionnaire, please contact us at: 1-800-268-7115.

As a token of our appreciation for your participation, TNS Canadian Facts will be holding a draw for a number of cash prizes totaling \$7,500. Five grand prizes of \$1,000 each and fifty secondary prizes of \$50 will be awarded. All those who return a completed questionnaire will be eligible to win - the odds of winning are approximately 1 in 40.

Again, we wish to thank you for your participation in our study. It is greatly appreciated.

Yours sincerely,
TNS CANADIAN FACTS



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SECTION 1: THE 2004 FEDERAL ELECTION

1. Thinking about the recent federal election on June 28th, please check a box below to indicate how much attention you paid to **news** about the election during the election campaign. **(CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY FOR EACH TYPE OF NEWS)**

	TV	RADIO	NEWS-PAPERS	INTERNET
Paid A Great Deal Of Attention	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Paid Some Attention	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Paid Very Little Attention	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Paid No Attention	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

2. During the federal election campaign, the political parties ran advertisements for themselves in the media. Please check a box below to indicate how many of these **party advertisements** you saw or heard. **(CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY FOR EACH TYPE OF ADVERTISEMENT)**

	TV	RADIO	NEWS-PAPERS	INTERNET
Saw/Heard Many Party Ads.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Saw/Heard Some Party Ads	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Saw/Heard A Few Party Ads	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Saw/Heard No Party Ads	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

3. Overall, would you say that you are satisfied or dissatisfied with the outcome of the federal election? **(CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY BELOW)**

	OVERALL SATISFACTION
Very Satisfied.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
Satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dissatisfied	<input type="checkbox"/>
Very Dissatisfied	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not Sure	<input type="checkbox"/>

4. Now, a few questions about Canada's **health care system**. What kind of value do you think the people in your province get for the money spent on healthcare? **(CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY BELOW)**

	VALUE RECEIVED
Very Good Value	<input type="checkbox"/>
Good Value.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
Acceptable Value.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
Poor Value	<input type="checkbox"/>
Very Poor Value	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not Sure	<input type="checkbox"/>

5. Which, if any, of the following words describe your feelings about the health care system? **(PLEASE CHOOSE UP TO FOUR WORDS THAT APPLY)**

	WORDS THAT APPLY
Angry	<input type="checkbox"/>
Happy	<input type="checkbox"/>
Disgusted.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hopeful	<input type="checkbox"/>
Uneasy	<input type="checkbox"/>
Confident	<input type="checkbox"/>
Afraid	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proud	<input type="checkbox"/>

6. During the last year or two, did you or a family member use the health care system to seek or receive medical treatment? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

Yes.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	PLEASE ANSWER Q7
No	<input type="checkbox"/>	PLEASE SKIP TO Q8
Can't Remember.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	PLEASE SKIP TO Q8

7. If you or a family member tried to or received medical treatment, how satisfied were you with your experience with the health care system? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

	SATISFACTION
Very Satisfied.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
Satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dissatisfied	<input type="checkbox"/>
Very Dissatisfied	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not Sure	<input type="checkbox"/>

8. During the recent federal election some people argued that controversial issues like same-sex marriage should be settled by the Supreme Court. Other people argued that these issues should be settled by a free vote of Members of Parliament who will decide without being told what to do by their parties. Which option do you prefer? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

	PREFER
Supreme Court Decides	<input type="checkbox"/>
Free Vote By Members Of Parliament.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not Sure	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/>
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8. During the recent federal election, the Liberal leader Paul Martin and NDP leader Jack Layton argued that controversial issues like same-sex marriage should be settled by the Supreme Court. Conservative leader Stephen Harper argued that these issues should be settled by a free vote of Members of Parliament who will decide without being told what to do by their parties. Bloc Québécois leader Gilles Duceppe also said that the BQ would allow a free vote of Members of Parliament on same-sex marriage. Which option do you prefer? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

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9. Now, here are some opinions that you hear different people giving. Please tell me if you **agree** or **disagree** (**CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY FOR EACH STATEMENT**)

	<u>AGREE</u>	<u>DISAGREE</u>	<u>NOT SURE</u>
Generally, Those Elected To The Parliament In Ottawa Keep In Touch With The People ...	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I Think That The Federal Government Cares About What People Like Me Think	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Politics And Government In Ottawa Usually Isn't Complicated, And A Person Like Me Can Understand What's Going On	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
People Like Me Do Have A Say About What The Federal Government Does	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Federal Political Parties Are Interested In People's Opinions As Well As Their Votes....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

10. During the recent federal election, there was a lot of talk about the national gun registry. Some people argued that we should keep the gun registry, and other people argued that we should get rid of the gun registry. Do you think the federal government should keep the gun registry or get rid of it? (**PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY**)

	<u>PREFER</u>
Keep The Gun Registry	<input type="checkbox"/>
Get Rid Of The Gun Registry.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not Sure	<input type="checkbox"/>

11-a. Here are some statements about Canada's role in the world. Please indicate if you **agree** or **disagree** with each of the following. (**CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY FOR EACH STATEMENT**)

	<u>AGREE</u>	<u>DISAGREE</u>	<u>NOT SURE</u>
Canada Should Have Joined With The United States And Great Britain In The War Against Iraq	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Canada Should Spend More Money On Foreign Aid To Help Developing Countries ...	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Canada Should Not Try To Combat Terrorist Organizations Because That Will Encourage The Terrorists To Attack Us	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Generally, Those Elected To The Parliament In Ottawa Soon Lose Touch With The People	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I Don't Think That The Federal Government Cares Much About What People Like Me Think.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sometimes, Politics And Government In Ottawa Seem So Complicated That A Person Like Me Can't Really Understand What's Going On	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
People Like Me Don't Have Any Say About What The Federal Government Does	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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11-b. Whenever there is an election, some people decide that they have good reasons not to vote, other people want to vote but are unable to, and some people vote. Thinking back to the federal election on June 28th, which of the following statements best describes you? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

- I Usually Vote But Decided Not To Vote That Time.....
- I Really Wanted To Vote, But Just Wasn't Able To.....
- I Think I Voted, But I'm Not Absolutely Sure.....
- I Am Absolutely Certain That I Voted.....
- I Usually Don't Vote In Federal Elections.....
- Not Sure

12. Thinking about **elections generally**, please indicate if you **agree** or **disagree** with the following statements. **(CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY FOR EACH STATEMENT)**

	<u>AGREE</u>	<u>DISAGREE</u>	<u>NOT SURE</u>
Elections Help To Keep Politicians Honest...	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
There Is Often A Big Difference Between What A Party Says It Will Do And What It Actually Does If It Wins An Election	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In Elections, Political Parties Don't Tell People About The Really Important Problems Facing The Country.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Elections Are Unfair Because The Party With The Most Money Usually Wins.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In Elections The Political Parties Give People Real Choices.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rewarding Or Punishing The Governing Party Is What Elections Are Really All About	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Parties That Win Elections Usually Know Exactly What The People Want Them To Do	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Elections Do More To Divide The Country Than To Bring It Together	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The Benefits Of Elections Far Outweigh The Costs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION 2: POLITICS IN GENERAL

13. Here is a list of political activities. Please indicate how often you have done each of these activities. **(CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY FOR EACH ACTIVITY)**

	NEVER	SELDOM	SOMETIMES	OFTEN
Discuss Politics With Other People	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Try To Convince Friends Or Coworkers To Vote The Same As You	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Attend A Political Meeting Or Rally	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Work For A Political Party Or Candidate	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Donate Money To A Political Party Or Candidate.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Contact A Member Of Parliament To Get Help With A Problem You Or A Member Of Your Family Is Having	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Contact A Member Of Parliament To Voice Your Opinion On A Political Issue.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

14. Please think about a **thermometer scale** which runs from 1 to 100 degrees. 50 is the neutral point. If your feelings are warm toward something, give it a score higher than 50, the warmer your feelings, the higher the score. If your feelings are cool toward something, give it a score less than 50, the cooler your feelings the lower the score. What score would you give each of the following? **(PLEASE WRITE IN A NUMBER FROM 0 TO 100 FOR EACH)**

	RATING (WRITE IN)
Your Province	_____
The Government Of Your Province	_____
Canada In General	_____
The Government Of Canada	_____
The Civil Service In Ottawa	_____
Parliament In Ottawa	_____
The Courts And The Judicial System	_____
Aboriginal Peoples	_____
Large Corporations In General	_____
Recent Immigrants To Canada	_____
Labour Unions	_____
Gays And Lesbians	_____

15. Thinking about **FEDERAL politics generally**, do you usually think of yourself as a Liberal, Conservative, NDP, Bloc Québécois, or what? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

Liberal	<input type="checkbox"/>	PLEASE
Conservative	<input type="checkbox"/>	ANSWER
NDP	<input type="checkbox"/>	Q16
Bloc Quebecois.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Greens	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Other Party (Please write in) _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	
None, No Party	<input type="checkbox"/>	SKIP TO
Don't Know	<input type="checkbox"/>	Q17

16. How strongly do you feel about that party? Would you say, very strongly, fairly strongly, or not very strongly? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

	<u>STRENGTH OF FEELING</u>
Very Strongly	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fairly Strongly	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not Very Strongly.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
Don't Know	<input type="checkbox"/>

17. Thinking about **political parties generally**, please indicate if you **agree** or **disagree** with the following statements. **(CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY FOR EACH STATEMENT)**

	<u>AGREE</u>	<u>DISAGREE</u>	<u>NOT SURE</u>
Parties Spend Too Much Time Bickering And Quarrelling Rather Than Solving Important Problems Facing The Country	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Political Parties Are Needed To Make Democracy Work – No Parties Means No Democracy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Political Parties Generally Try To Look After The Best Interests Of Everybody And Not Just The Interests Of Those Who Vote For Them	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Parties Give People A Say In Politics That They Couldn't Have As Individuals.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
There Is Often A Big Difference Between What A Party Says It Will Do, And What It Actually Does If It Wins An Election	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Parties Usually Are More Interested In Winning Elections Than In Governing Afterwards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Parties Do A Good Job Of Encouraging People To Become Active In Politics.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Political Parties Do More To Divide The Country Than To Unite It	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Parties Generally Do A Good Job In Helping Groups Reach Agreement About What Government Should Be Doing.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Parties Spend Too Much Time Catering To Minorities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

15. Thinking about **FEDERAL politics generally**, do you usually think of yourself as a Liberal, Conservative, NDP, Bloc Québécois, or none of these? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

Liberal	<input type="checkbox"/>	PLEASE
Conservative	<input type="checkbox"/>	ANSWER
NDP	<input type="checkbox"/>	Q16
Bloc Quebecois.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Greens	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Other Party (Please write in) _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	
None, No Party	<input type="checkbox"/>	SKIP TO
Don't Know	<input type="checkbox"/>	Q17

16. How strongly do you feel about that party? Would you say, very strongly, fairly strongly, or not very strongly? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

	<u>STRENGTH OF FEELING</u>
Very Strongly	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Parties Spend Too Much Time Catering To Minorities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

18. Generally speaking, would you say that most people can be trusted, or that you can't be too careful in dealing with people? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

- Most People Can Be Trusted.....
- Can't Be Too Careful In Dealing With People
- Not Sure.....

19. Generally speaking, would you say that most of the time people try to be helpful, or that they are mostly just looking out for themselves? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

- People Try To Be Helpful.....
- People Are Mostly Looking Out For Themselves
- Not Sure.....

20. And, generally speaking do you feel that most people would try to take advantage of you if they had the chance, or would they try to be fair? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

- People Would Try To Take Advantage.....
- People Try To Be Fair
- Not Sure.....

21. Here are some more political activities. Please indicate how often you have done each of them. **(CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY FOR EACH ACTIVITY)**

	NEVER	SELDOM	SOMETIMES	OFTEN
Sign A Petition	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Join In A Boycott, That Is Refuse To Buy A Particular Product Or Shop At A Particular Store.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Donate Money To A Group That Speaks For Issues You Think Are Important	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Participate In A Group That Speaks For Issues You Think Are Important.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Take Part In A Protest Or Demonstration	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

22. Generally speaking, how willing are you to take risks? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

- Very Willing To Take Risks.....
- Somewhat Willing To Take Risks
- Somewhat Unwilling To Take Risks
- Very Unwilling To Take Risks.....
- Not Sure.....

23. Here are some statements. Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each of the following. **(CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY FOR EACH STATEMENT)**

	<u>AGREE</u>	<u>DISAGREE</u>	<u>NOT SURE</u>
Most Canadians Do Not Get A Fair Share Of Their Country's Wealth	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Private Enterprise Is The Best Way To Solve Canada's Economic Problems	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Young People Today Don't Have Enough Respect For Traditional Canadian Values.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
We Should Be More Tolerant Of Gays, Lesbians And Other People With Alternative Lifestyles	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Strong Labour Unions Are Needed To Protect Working Class People.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Censorship Of Films And Magazines Is Necessary To Uphold Moral Standards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
We Worry Too Much About The Environment Today And Not Enough About People's Jobs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Big International Companies Are A Threat To Democratic Government	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Except For Serious Crimes, Convicted Criminals Should Be Rehabilitated In Their Communities Rather Than Being Sent To Prison	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Now, please think about **provincial** politics in the province where you live. **If you live in any province other than Quebec please answer questions 24-a/b. If you live in Quebec, please answer questions 25a/b.**

24-a. Thinking about **PROVINCIAL politics generally**, do you usually think of yourself as a Liberal, Conservative, NDP, Green, Saskatchewan Party (if you live in Saskatchewan) or what? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

Liberal	<input type="checkbox"/>	PLEASE ANSWER Q24B
Conservative.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	
NDP	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Saskatchewan Party	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Greens	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Other Party (Please write in) _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	
None, No Party	<input type="checkbox"/>	SKIP TO
Don't Know	<input type="checkbox"/>	Q26

24-b. How strongly do you feel about that party? Would you say, very strongly, fairly strongly, or not very strongly? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

	<u>STRENGTH OF FEELING</u>
Very Strongly	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fairly Strongly	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not Very Strongly.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
Don't Know	<input type="checkbox"/>

25-a. Now, please think about **PROVINCIAL politics generally** in **Quebec**. Thinking about **provincial** politics, do you usually think of yourself as a Liberal, Parti Québécois, Action Démocratique du Québec or what? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

Liberal	<input type="checkbox"/>	PLEASE
Parti Québécois	<input type="checkbox"/>	ANSWER
Action Démocratique du Québec	<input type="checkbox"/>	Q25B
Other Party (Please write in) _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	
None, No Party	<input type="checkbox"/>	SKIP TO
Don't Know	<input type="checkbox"/>	Q26

25-b. How strongly do you feel about that party? Would you say, very strongly, fairly strongly, or not very strongly? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

	<u>STRENGTH OF FEELING</u>
Very Strongly	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fairly Strongly	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not Very Strongly.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
Don't Know	<input type="checkbox"/>

26. Here are a few more opinions. Please indicate if you **agree** or **disagree**. **(CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY FOR EACH STATEMENT)**

	<u>AGREE</u>	<u>DISAGREE</u>	<u>NOT SURE</u>
Allowing More Immigrants From Foreign Countries Will Enrich Canada's Culture With New Ideas And Customs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Allowing More Immigrants To Live In Canada Will Cause Higher Taxes Because They Will Increase Demands For Public Services.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Allowing More Immigrants To Come To Canada Will Strengthen The Economy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Immigrants Should Be Allowed The Right To Vote Even If They Are Not Canadian Citizens.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
When Immigrants Come To Canada, They Take Away Jobs From People Already Here.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
New Immigrants Threaten The French Language In Quebec.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
New Immigrants Threaten The English Language In Canada	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

27. Thinking about your life as a whole, how satisfied are you? **(PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY)**

	<u>SATISFACTION</u>
Very Satisfied.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fairly Satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/>
A Little Dissatisfied	<input type="checkbox"/>
Very Dissatisfied	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not Sure	<input type="checkbox"/>

28. Thinking about **government generally**, and not any particular government, here are some things people say about government and how it works. For each, please indicate if you **agree** or **disagree**. (**CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY FOR EACH STATEMENT**)

	<u>AGREE</u>	<u>DISAGREE</u>	<u>NOT SURE</u>
Many People In Government Are Dishonest	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Most Of The People Running Government Are Smart People Who Usually Know What They Are Doing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
People In Government Waste A Lot Of The Money We Pay In Taxes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Most Of The Time We Can Trust People In Government To Do What Is Right	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION 3: ABOUT YOURSELF

Please answer the following questions so that we can classify the answers you have provided.

29. Please indicate your gender.

	<u>GENDER</u>
Male	<input type="checkbox"/>
Female	<input type="checkbox"/>

30. Please write in your year of birth.

	<u>YEAR OF BIRTH (WRITE IN)</u>
Year of Birth	_____

31. How often do you use the Internet? (**PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY**)

	<u>INTERNET USAGE</u>
A Great Deal	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sometimes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Seldom	<input type="checkbox"/>
Never	<input type="checkbox"/>

32. To help us plan for other surveys, please indicate how long it took you to complete this questionnaire. (**PLEASE CHOOSE ONE ANSWER ONLY**)

	<u>LENGTH OF TIME</u>
Less Than 15 Minutes	<input type="checkbox"/>
15 To 20 Minutes	<input type="checkbox"/>
21 To 30 Minutes	<input type="checkbox"/>
31 To 45 Minutes	<input type="checkbox"/>
46 To 60 Minutes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Over One Hour	<input type="checkbox"/>

33. We are very interested in any other comments you might have about the federal election on June 28th or this survey. Please write in any comments you might have below.

Please check that you have answered all the questions.

Thank you very much for your help! Your contribution to this project is very important. Please return the completed questionnaire in the envelope provided. No postage is required. All information provided by you will be held in strictest confidence and will only be used for research purposes.